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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Q. M. Grainger
HIDEYUKI YANO)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2852
Application No.: 09/854,677)	
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Filed: May 15, 2001)	
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For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS)	March 21, 2003
WITH TRANSFERRING MEMBER:)	
HAVING ION CONDUCTIVITY)	
(AS AMENDED)	:	

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 24, 2002, for two (2) months, from January 24, 2003, up to and including March 24, 2003. A check in the amount of \$410.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

The present Amendment has been prepared in accordance with the Revised Format established by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, as permitted in the Pre-OG Notice entitled "Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted."

The Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows.